

United States Patent and Trademark Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/887,651	06/21/2001	Kenneth J. Hill	30566.126-US-U1	7098
22462 7	7590 03/11/2005		EXAMINER	
GATES & COOPER LLP			NGUYEN, KIMBINH T	
HOWARD HUGHES CENTER 6701 CENTER DRIVE WEST, SUITE 1050		50	ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
LOS ANGELE	,		2671	
			DATE MAIL ED: 03/11/2005	

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

		Application No.	Applicant(s)			
		09/887,651	HILL, KENNETH J.			
Respo	onse to Rule 312 Communication	Examiner	Art Unit			
		Kimbinh T. Nguyen	2671			
			<u> </u>			
The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address –						
1. ☑ The amendment filed on 14 October 2004 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:						
a) 🛛	entered.					
b) 🗌	entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.					
c) 🗌	disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.					
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.						
d) 🗌	disapproved. See explanation below.					
e) 🗌	entered in part. See explanation below.					
	·					
	KIMBINHT. NGUYEN PRIMARY EXAMINER					
	•					
•						
		•				